

**REISSUE PATENT**

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**REISSUE APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL  
LETTER AND FILING FEE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reissue Application of U.S. Patent No. 6,368,081, issued April 9, 2002, Serial No. 09/603,973.

For (Title): BLOWER

By (Inventors): Kaoru MATSUMOTO

- ☒ A Reissue Declaration (executed by the inventor(s)) is filed herewith.  
☒ A Consent of Assignee to Reissue is filed herewith.  
☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.  
☒ A Claim for Priority is filed herewith.  
☐ A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith. Claims added by this Amendment are properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claim in the application.  
☐ Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.  
☒ The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY OF  
ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE**

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	22 - 20 *	= 2 ***
INDEP CLAIMS	6 - 1 **	= 5 ***
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED		

**SMALL ENTITY**

RATE	FEE	OR
	\$ 385	OR
x 9 =	\$	OR
x 43 =	\$	OR
+145 =	\$	OR
TOTAL	\$	OR

**OTHER THAN A  
SMALL ENTITY**

RATE	FEE
	\$ 770
x 18	\$ 36
x 86	\$ 430
+ 290	\$
TOTAL	\$1,236

- \* Number of claims in original patent or 20, whichever is greater  
 \*\* Number of independent claims in original patent  
 \*\*\* If the difference is less than zero, enter "0".

- ☒ Check No. 152375 in the amount of \$1,236.00 to cover the filing fee is attached. Except as otherwise noted herein, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

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